

Venerable Diplomat Expects to Live Long

But He Has Retired from Active
Service for His Country,
Which is China.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 20.—Dr. Wu Ting-fang, the former Chinese minister to the United States, although he plans to live to be 350 years old, now considers himself out of public life, and for the next seventy-five years will be just an onlooker, regardless whether the Chinese Republic is turned back into an em-

pire. "The folks up at Peking are running things. They haven't asked my advice and they probably wouldn't act on it if I gave it," said Dr. Wu when asked for his comments on the monarchical movement.

In my recent book on America I told what I thought about the American government, the Chinese government and governments in general. I couldn't say any more than I said in that book and I haven't changed my mind since I wrote it.

China's dynasty was founded in 1644 by conquest, not by succession. Upon the recent overthrow of the Manchu dynasty it was found very difficult to find a Chinese, however popular and able, who possessed the legal right of succeeding to the throne. Jealousy and provincial fealties placed this suggestion absolutely beyond discussion. Disagreements, frictions, and constant civil wars would have ensued if any attempt had been made to establish a Chinese dynasty. Another fact is that a large majority of the intelligent people of China were disgusted with the system of monarchical government. Thus it will be seen that for the sake of the peace and welfare of the nation there was no other course for the people but to take a long jump and establish the present republic. The law of evolution has been very actively at work in China, and no doubt it will be for her ultimate good, and therefore for the benefit of all mankind. China is now an infant republic, but she will grow into a healthy and strong youth."

The home of Dr. Wu is a modern granite house, located in a large walled garden, rich in palms and luxuriant tropical flowers. At the lodge gate a tall Sikh, wearing a red turban, greets visitors and bids the drivers to proceed along the gravelled road leading to the portico where various potted plants of various colors. The entrance leads into a wide hall. At one side of this is Dr. Wu's study; at the other a large drawing room furnished in beautiful blackwood pieces of Chinese design, and with white walls relieved by silk banners bearing quotations from the Chinese classics. In the center of the room is a great round table of blackwood with mottled marble top. Dr. Wu and the Associated Press correspondent sat at this drinking tea while the statesman discussed his future plan.

"I shall devote the rest of my life to literary work. I have just finished some books in Chinese on educational subjects. I am much interested in a better system of schools for my country."

"Oh, yes. I have found the secret of health. No liquor nor tobacco for me, and no meat. One learns how to live safely as one advances in years."

"And you plan to make Shanghai your permanent home?"

"Oh, yes, at least for the present. I am happier here than anywhere else. After my long years abroad I returned to Peking still with enthusiasm and new ideas which I desire to see put into effect in China. But I found the atmosphere of Peking too conservative. The officials there lived too much out of the world currents, and were too unwilling to consider new ideas. I chose Shanghai as my present home because it is so cosmopolitan. There are people here from all over the world and from all over China. It is a busy commercial center, a clearing house for modern thought. I find inspiration here and I am happy in watching China work out a government under which she will be able to develop her limitless resources."

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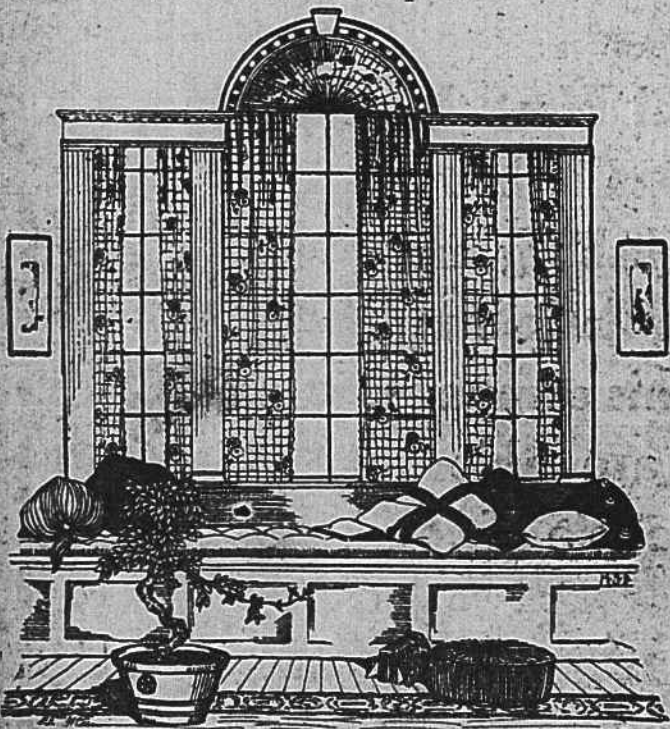
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